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GREAT FIRE AT CANTON.  
ONE HUNDRED HOUSES  
DESTROYED.

(Special Telegram to the 'Chinese Mail')  
CANTON, February 27.

On Saturday, about five p.m., fire broke out in Ching Lok Street, outside the Taiping Gate. Almost the whole of the houses in the street were gutted. The fire extended to Cheung Lok, Hing Loong and the eastern side of the 17th Avenue. Over one hundred houses were destroyed. No loss of life reported.

Our Chinese contemporary (*Wah-Tse-Yat Po*) has received some particulars of the conflagration. The fire originated in the cookhouse of a joss-paper shop in China Lok Street, a piece of live fuelwood falling on a heap of paper while the shop-people were partaking of their afternoon meal. The fire spread very quickly, and as most of the shops in the neighbourhood are joss paper or fire-cracker establish-adjacent fire-brigades did nothing to check the flames. In the other streets, some valuable property was destroyed. The number of houses burned down does not reach 100, but is therefore. The same locality was devastated by fire a few years ago. The mandarin of that district sent out soldiers; therefore, there were few cases of robbery.

## WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the Observatory:

On the 27th at 11.40 a.m. The barometer has risen in the North, and is little changed in the South. Pressure is high over Japan and gradients are increasing on the China coast. Forecast—frost to strong E. winds; showery.

On the 28th at 11.35 a.m. The barometer has fallen quickly on the E. coast of China, and remains almost steady in the South. A low pressure area seems to be moving Eastwards between the E. coast of China and Japan. Gradient slight, except in the North. Forecast—moderate N. winds; dull, some rain.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

The twenty-ninth ordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited, was held in the offices of the General Managers, Messrs Jardine, Matheson & Co. The Hon. J. J. Bell-Irving presided. Among those present were—Hon. J. C. P. Chater, Messrs A. J. Raymond, D. Lewis, A. Ross, F. Maitland, (Consulting Committee), G. T. Voitch (Secretary), J. H. Cox, G. C. Anderson, Henry Humphreys, Ho Tung, A. Fleet, R. A. Green, K. M. Ross, T. Arden, Victor H. Dean, W. Parlane, J. R. Michael, R. C. Wilcox, Ho Fook, B. Byramjee, D. D. O'Keefe, A. G. Morris, Lo Cheung Shiu, J. M. G. Porein, K. A. Chinoy, and J. M. S. Alves.

The Secretary read the notice calling the meeting.

The Chairman said—Gentlemen, I presume you will require us in the report and accounts being taken as read. At our last annual meeting, it was with much pleasure I congratulated shareholders on the satisfactory statement of accounts then presented. Today, it is with a feeling of equal pleasure I am enabled to come before you with what is a more satisfactory account in fact, it is the best presented by the Company for several years past. It enables us to propose the payment of a sum equal to our Reserve Fund, and the great amount of dividends to our shareholders, an income of \$4,60 per share, that is to say, \$20.00 as against \$22 last year, and also the strengthening of our Reserve Fund.

Mr Whitehead—Before the discussion is started, may I move the resolution which stands in my name, in connection with the New Government Offices. His Excellency—In reality you may have the motion now, but the Government does not propose to put that particular thing on the table. The whole of the information contained in that paper relates to the question of the Government Building Fund has been before you in the other papers—absolutely the whole of it. I think I am right, Hon. Colonial Secretary, in saying that—I have read it myself—I think I am right in saying that the whole information regarding the Government Building Fund is before you.

The Colonial Secretary—There is nothing in that dispatch which would in any way facilitate consideration of that question, which has been before the public for some time, and nothing which would enable us to come to a speedy decision if that were published.

Mr Whitehead—I would point out that that dispatch, dated 1st June, 1894, requires the Government to forward a report by the Committee appointed to report to the Government Offices, and certain explanations the Government may have given in connection therewith. I have just stated.

His Excellency—I have told you already that the Government does not propose to put that paper on the table for the reasons I have just stated.

Mr Whitehead—I think Sir, with your permission, I will move the motion that Government lay upon the table a copy of its covering dispatch, forwarding to the Colonial Office the Report, dated 23rd November 1894, of the Committee appointed 8th September 1894, by His Excellency Sir William Robinson to report on the condition of the Government Offices and the desirability of locating the various Government departments under one roof, together with a copy of further explanations the Government may have given in connection therewith and as called for by the Secretary of State's Dispatch No. 126 of 6th June 1894. Sir, that dispatch, the contents of that dispatch, I assure, would be of very great interest to non-resident members. Certain plans were prepared by the former Director of Public Works, which I understand, Sir, the Committee appointed by Sir W. Robinson to inquire into the question submitted to them, were those for which Mr Cooper, the late Director of Public Works, was responsible. As they had already been condemned by the Committee appointed to consider that matter, it seems a little unfortunate that they should not have been at one disengaged and competitive design invited for their submission to Messrs Webb and Bell, who have been condemned by Messrs Webb and Bell, the Colonial Office Consulting Architects, for those for which Mr Cooper, the late Director of Public Works, was responsible.

Agreed.

Mr H. Humphreys moved that the appointment of Mr A. J. Raymond, as a member of the Consulting Committee be confirmed, and that Messrs Chater, Ross, Maitland and Raymond be re-elected to the Consulting Committee.

Mr J. H. Cox seconded.

Mr Ho Tung moved and Mr Byramjee seconded the re-election of the auditors, Messrs Fullerton Henderson and W. Hutchinson.

Agreed.

The Chairman—The Dividend warrants will be ready to-morrow. Thank you for coming here.

On the 16th inst., the Tao-tai of Ningpo, accompanied by the British Consul and the Commissioner of Customs, paid a visit to the Fleet at Chusan. The Chinese gunboat, *Cheowoo*, conveyed the party to and from Ningpo.

The P. and T. Trustee states that the Emperor of China has been ordering a large number of books in his own handwriting from the Book Store of the American Bible Society. He has taken over 400 copies of 75 different books.—A magnificent palace has been built at Tongmen for the Government Office.

The motion was carried. Messrs Chater and Whitehead voting against it.

## REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL']

LONDON, 25th February, 1895.  
THE INQUIRY INTO THE LOSS OF  
THE U. S. S. 'MAINE.'

Something approaching a panic has occurred on the New York Bourse, owing to the prevalence of strong rumours to the enquiry into the loss of the U. S. S. 'Maine' proved that the explosion was not accidental.

GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN  
WEST AFRICA.

Lord Salisbury, speaking in the House of Lords, said that M. Hamouton had informed Sir Edmund Monson positively, that no French force had entered Sokoto.

## RUSSIA IN CHINA.

In the House of Commons, Mr Carson read a note from Count Miravetich, declaring his desire that any port Russia occupies in China will be open to ships for the commerce of the world.

## THE GREEK LOAN.

The Greek loan negotiations are concluded. Great Britain, France, and Russia guaranteed four millions at 3 per cent. The remainder will pay a higher rate of interest, but will have no foreign guarantee.

## WEST AFRICA.

A motion by Mr Labouchere to reduce the vote for the West Africa frontier force, which he considered a provocation to France, was rejected. Mr Chamberlain said that if the French hinterland extension was allowed to continue without a corresponding British expansion, our Colonies would be strangled; hence the creation of the frontier force. In continuation, he said that Great Britain was anxious to maintain the friends of France, but could not allow her interests to be sacrificed.

## THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

The Legislative Council met this afternoon. H. E. Major-General Black, C.B., Acting-Governor, presided. There were present—Hon. J. H. Stewart Lockhart, Colonial Secretary; Hon. W. M. Goodman, Attorney-General; Hon. R. D. Ormrod, Director of Public Works; Hon. F. H. May, C.M.G.; Mr. T. C. St. John Superintendent of Police; Hon. T. Scrimgeour Smith, Colonial Treasurer; Hon. R. Murray Ross, Colonial Master; Hon. C. P. Chater, M.A., J. J. Bell-Irving, Mr. Whitehead, Ho. Kai, E. R. Bellings, and Hon. Wai Yuk, and Mr. J. G. T. Buckle, Clerk of Councils.

## MINUTES.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

## THE NEW GOVERNOR.

His Excellency said—Before beginning the business of the day, I beg to announce to you the nature of a telegram that I have received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, in which he intimates that Sir Henry Blaikie is to leave on or about the 1st of May.

## REPORT.

The Colonial Secretary submitted the Report of the Finance Committee (No. 1), and moved its adoption.

Carried.

## PROPOSED NEW GOVERNMENT OFFICES.

His Excellency informed that he had made it necessary to put the resolution on the subject of the New Government Offices, which stood in the name of the Director of Public Works. They would just continue the discussion.

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Mr Chater seconded.

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## CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

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GEO. FENWICK AND COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

The meeting of George Fenwick and Co. Limited, was held in the Hongkong Hotel this afternoon—W. Patlano (Chairman) presiding. There were present:—Messrs A. Rodger (Director), W. G. Winterburn (Manager), R. C. Wilcox, Fullerton Henderson, W. S. Baily, G. C. Cox, T. Arnould, J. Rodger, and H. Hyndman, jun.

Mr Winterburn read the notice convening the meeting.

## LONDON COLLEGE OF MUSIC.

The results of the examination held in November and December last by the London College of Music have just been announced. The candidate in Piano-forte playing were examined by Messrs A. G. Ward and G. Grimble; the Theory papers were examined by Dr W. H. Sangster and Dr Karn.

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## ELEMENTARY.—A. Farlano, 1st Class (G.); A. M. Parker, 1st Class (H.); Aida Alves, 1st Class (I. C.); A. Lee, 1st Class (I. C.); Grace H. Wilson, 1st Class (C.); W. J. Chorlton, 1st Class (D. S. O.); Madeleine Quincey, Pass (D.); Mary Quincey, Pass (D.); E. M. E. King, Pass (E.); Emily Jorgo, Pass (I. C.)

## THEORY.

\*Associate in Music.—Emil Danenborg, Pass (B.).

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JUNIOR PASS.—A. Wilson, 1st Class (C.); M. C. Rocha, Pass (D.); Madeline Quincey, Pass (D.); W. J. Chorlton, Pass (D. S. O.).

## ELEMENTARY.—Mary Quincey, 1st Class (D.); F. W. Shaw, Pass (D. S. O.).

The teachers or schools to which the candidates belong are denoted by letters, preceded by the name of the school.

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Chief Manager.  
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Hongkong, June 2, 1897. 340

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL . . . \$10,000,000  
RESERVE FUND . . . \$8,000,000  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS . . . \$10,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS:—

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Hongkong, February 12, 1898. 368

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For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,  
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Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 1, 1896. 1615

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AUTHORIZED CAPITAL . . . £1,000,000.  
PAID-UP CAPITAL . . . £ 924,374.

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Chinese Names.  
Rata.  
Hight. Least.  
Cost. Cash.

## Butcher Meat.

Bacon, English,	lb.	40	肉食
" Am. Sugar cured,	320	米路烟燭肉	
" Foochow,	240	花旗烟燭肉	
" Japan, cured	—	福州烟燭肉	
Beef, sirloin & prime cuttlets	100	日本煙燭肉	
" Corned,	city	100	尾龍乳
" Roast,	160	鰐牛肉	
" Soup,	120	湯肉	
" Steak,	100	牛肉	
Bird's Brains,	pt set	牛腦	
" Tongue fresh, each	360	牛舌	
" corned	400	熟牛舌	
Head,	470	牛頭	
Heart,	180	牛心	
Hump, Salt costly	180	牛肩	
Foot,	each	80	牛腳
Kidneys,	80	牛腰	
Tail,	120	牛尾	
Liver,	city	110	牛肝
Tripe (undressed) costly	60	牛肚	
Calves Head and Feet, set	670	牛仔頭腳	
Beefs, American,	b.	320	化學火腿
" Chinese,	320	金華火腿	
" English, New,	470	采日本火腿	
" Japan cured,	—	上海火腿	
Shanghai,	240	上海火腿	
Mutton Chop,	—	牛牌骨	
" Leg,	200	牛批	
" Shoulder,	190	牛頭	
Pigs' Chittings	catty	70	豬頭
" Foot,	130	豬頭	
" Fry,	160	豬頭	
" Head,	each	50	豬頭
Heart,	50	豬心	
Kidneys,	pair	70	豬腎
Liver,	lb.	160	豬肝
Pork, Chop,	catty	200	豬脾骨
" Corned,	100	豬精肉	
" Leg,	180	豬精肉	
" Fat or Lard,	100	豬油	
Sheep's Head and Feet, set	500	羊頭	
" Heart,	each	70	羊心
Kidneys,	100	羊腰	
Liver,	lb.	100	羊肝
Sucking Pigs,	each \$1.70	1.25	羊仔
Suet, Beef,	lb.	120	牛油
Mutton	180	生牛仔肉	
Veal,	catty	160	牛仔肉
Poultry,			生口
Chicken,	catty	240	雞仔
Capon,	230	雞肉	
Ducks,	150	鴨肉	
Doves,	each	—	鵝肉
Eggs, Hen	doz.	180	鵝蛋
" Duck,	160	鵝蛋	
Powls,	each	230	鵝蛋
Gosse,	160	鵝蛋	
Haros,	each	450	鵝蛋
Musk Duck,	12.50	鵝蛋	
Pigeons,	each	260	鵝蛋
Partridges,	pair	900	鵝蛋
Pheasant,	brace	900	鵝蛋
Rice Birds,	doz.	—	鵝蛋
Quail,	each	120	鵝蛋
Spade,	each	170	鵝蛋
Turkey, Cook,	catty	370	鵝蛋
" Ham,	500	鵝蛋	
Turk,	each	400	鵝蛋
Wild Ducks,	pair	760	鵝蛋
Fish,			海鮮
Barbel,	catty	180	魚
Beans,	90	豆	
Bonito, Dried,	pieces	360	鮑魚
Olive Fresh Water Fish,	catty	160	鮑魚
Carp,	100	鮑魚	
Catfish,	—	鮑魚	
Goldfish, Salt,	120	鮑魚	
Grabs,	180	鮑魚	
Ottie Fish,	110	鮑魚	
Dab,	0	鮑魚	
Dace,	90	鮑魚	
Dog Fish,	—	鮑魚	
Hels, Conger,	—	鮑魚	
" Fresh water,	180	鮑魚	
Hels, Yellow,	120	鮑魚	
Filo Fish,	—	鮑魚	
Frog,	250	鮑魚	
Fresh Fish,	110	鮑魚	
Garoupa,	30	鮑魚	
Hindgeon,	80	鮑魚	
Huskhead,	80	鮑魚	
Herrings,	14	鮑魚	
" smoked	box	鮑魚	
Hallibut,	catty	150	鮑魚
Lobrus,	15	鮑魚	
Losh,	140	鮑魚	
Lobsters,	180	鮑魚	
Mackerel,	—	鮑魚	
Monk Fish,	800	鮑魚	
Mullet,	100	鮑魚	
Oyston,	160	鮑魚	
Parrotfish,	120	鮑魚	
Pomfret,	110	鮑魚	
Pike,	—	鮑魚	
Pilao,	—	鮑魚	
Pomfret, White	180	鮑魚	
Pomfret, Black	120	鮑魚	
Prawns,	280	鮑魚	
Ray,	360	鮑魚	
Rock Fish,	60	鮑魚	
Roach,	—	鮑魚	
Salmon, (Canton),	200	鮑魚	
Shark,	60	鮑魚	
Salt Fish,	100	鮑魚	
Silko,	60	鮑魚	
Shrimps,	100	鮑魚	
Snapper,	260	鮑魚	
Sole,	140	鮑魚	
Tench,	120	鮑魚	
Turbot,	100	鮑魚	
Turles, small, fresh water,	360	鮑魚	
Whiting,	catty	70	鮑魚
White Bait,	90	鮑魚	
Fruits,			果子
Apples, (California),	catty	100	蘋果
" (Montana),	—	蘋果	
" (Japan),	—	蘋果	
Bananas, fragrant,	40	香蕉	
" (brides),	20	香蕉	
Cheshuts, Chinese,	120	香蕉	
Carambola,	—	鳳梨	
Cocoanuts,	each	70	椰子
Ground Date,	catty	100	花生
Grapes,	—	葡萄	
Lemons, China,	100	檸檬	
" Peel,	—	檸檬	
Lichees, Dried,	750	荔枝	
" Fresh,	—	荔枝	
Limes,	—	檸檬	
Mango, (Saigon),	each	70	芒果
" (Manilla),	—	芒果	
Mangosteens,	dozen	—	木瓜
Oranges, Sweet,	catty	40	橘子
" Green,	—	橘子	
" Red,	—	橘子	
" Cooche,	20	橘子	
Olives,	each	120	橄欖
Pine-apples,	each	—	鳳梨
Pears,	catty	250	梨
Plum, Red,	—	紅李	
Pumelo,	each	120	柚子
" (Siam),	—	柚子	
Raisins, Muscated,	—	葡萄乾	
" Pudding,	—	布丁	
Water Chestnut, com.	40	水蓮	
" Mandarin,	—	橘子	
Walnuts,	—	核桃	
Vegetables, &c.			蔬菜
Artichokes, Shanghai,	catty	60	上海洋菜
Beans, (French),	100	豆角	
" Long,	—	豆角	
Beet Root,	each	30	洋芋
Brinjals, Green,	catty	—	青椒
" Red,	—	青椒	
Brassica,	20	白蘭	
Bamboo Shoots,	—	竹筍	
Cabbage, Chinese com.	80	芥菜	
Cabbage,	each	60	芥菜
Cauliflower,	67	花椰菜	
Carrots,	40	蘿蔔	
Celeri, Chinese,	30	芹菜	
" English,	40	芹菜	
Chillies Dried,	200	辣椒	
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Hongkong, July 23, 1896. 1547

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ordinary 190,570 3 6. 2.11. prem.

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5. 2.5. buyers

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Hongkong, September 27, 1897. 1827

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Hongkong, July 12, 1897. 2556

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A Stock of the Compositions is kept ready for Sale packed in 5 cwt. casks. Price for ton lots \$100 per ton F.O.B., or in smaller quantities at \$6 per cwt. F.O.B.

All Work will be under the personal super-

vision of Mr. HOLDSWORTH, and all Orders must be sent through the undersigned.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, February 10, 1898. 302

## Auctions.

FEBRUARY AUCTION.

LEASED GROUND PROPERTY.

THE Underengaged has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY,

the 1st day of March, 1898, at 3 o'clock p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Buddel Street, the following Lots:

LOT I.

All that PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND Situate near the Gap, Victoria PEAK, in the Island of Hongkong, and measuring on the North side thereof 247 feet and 6 inches or thereabouts, on the East side thereof 245 feet or thereabouts, on the South-West side thereof 557 feet or thereabouts, containing in the whole 73,805 Square feet or thereabouts, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground is Registered in the LAND OFFICE as Rural Building Lot No. 5, and is held for a term of 75 years from the 1st day of January, 1873, at a yearly Crown Rent of \$1.00, and is held for a term of 75 years from the 1st day of January, 1873, at a yearly Crown Rent of \$18.00 Hongkong Currency;

And

All that PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND Situate near the Gap, Victoria PEAK, in the Island of Hongkong, and measuring on the North side thereof 30 feet or thereabouts, on the South side thereof 120 feet or thereabouts, on the East side thereof 275 feet or thereabouts, and on the West side thereof 246 feet or thereabouts, containing in the whole 19,400 Square feet or thereabouts, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground is Registered in the LAND OFFICE as Rural Building Lot No. 17, and is held for a term of 75 years from the 25th day of February, 1882, at a yearly Crown Rent of \$1.36 Hongkong Currency.

Together with the Messuages, Erections and Buildings upon the aforementioned Piece or Parcel of Ground known as "CHAICIEBURN."

There is a quantity of Furniture upon the above-mentioned Premises which can be purchased from the Vendor at a valuation.

And at 2.30 p.m., on the said 1st day of March, 1898, if not Sold previously by Private Contract:—

LOT II.

All that PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND Situate at Victoria PEAK, in the Island of Hongkong, and Registered in the LAND OFFICE as Section C of Rural Building Lot No. 9, together with the Message or Tenement theron known as No. 6, STEWART TERRACE, Victoria PEAK, aforesaid, held for a term of 75 years, commencing from the 17th day of March, 1870, at the apportioned yearly Crown Rent of \$2.36 Hongkong Currency.

LOT III.

All that Portion of the PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND Situate at Victoria PEAK, in the Island of Hongkong, and Registered in the LAND OFFICE as Section C of Rural Building Lot No. 9, together with the Message or Tenement theron known as No. 7, STEWART TERRACE, Victoria PEAK, aforesaid, held for a term of 75 years, commencing from the 17th day of March, 1870, at the apportioned yearly Crown Rent of \$3.36 Hongkong Currency.

LOT IV.

All that Portion of the PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND Situate at Victoria PEAK, in the Island of Hongkong, and Registered in the LAND OFFICE as Section C of Rural Building Lot No. 9, together with the Message or Tenement theron known as No. 8, STEWART TERRACE, Victoria PEAK, aforesaid, held for a term of 75 years, commencing from the 17th day of March, 1870, at the apportioned yearly Crown Rent of \$3.36 Hongkong Currency.

LOT V.

All that portion of the PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND Situate at Mount Kelung, Victoria PEAK, in the Island of Hongkong, and Registered in the LAND OFFICE as Section C of Rural Building Lot No. 61, together with the Message or Tenement theron known as No. 9, STEWART TERRACE, Victoria PEAK, aforesaid, held for a term of 75 years, commencing from the 17th day of March, 1870, at the apportioned yearly Crown Rent of \$3.36 Hongkong Currency.

The four above-mentioned Properties are all subject to existing tenancies and all rights of way over them.

LOT VI.

All that PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND Situate at Mount Kelung, Victoria PEAK, in the Island of Hongkong, situated on the North and East sides thereof

and Measuring thereon 166 feet or thereabouts, and on the South side thereof, partly on Mount Kelung, and partly on Crown Land, and Measuring thereon respectively 95 feet

and 87 feet or thereabouts, and on the West side thereof 230 feet or thereabouts, and

Measuring thereon 169 feet or thereabouts, and

Measuring thereon 95 feet or thereabouts, and